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PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.

UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service.]

Suspected case of leprosy at Detroit, Mich.

DETROIT, MICH., May 26, 1902.

SIR: I have the honor to inform the Bureau that a suspected case of leprosy was encountered at this port on the 22d instant, in the person of an alien immigrant from Syria.

He gives a history of having landed at Halifax, Nova Scotia, about two months ago, and having remained in Canada until the above date. The diagnosis has been confirmed by the bacteriological findings. He, however, was certified for deportation immediately following the first examination.

Respectfully,

E. K. SPRAGUE,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Inspection service at Eastport, Me.

EASTPORT, ME., May 29, 1902.

SIR: I beg to submit the following report of work done at this inspection station during the week ended Thursday, May 29, 1902:

Vessels inspected.

Date.	Vessel.	From—	For—	Crew.	Passengers.	
					For Eastport.	In transit.
May 23	Sch. Mary F. Pike.....	Calais, Me.....	New York.....	5	.....	.....
Do....	Sch. Madagascar.....	do.....	do.....	5	.....	.....
Do....	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	do.....	Eastport.....	10	10	.....
Do....	Ss. Aurora.....	St. Stephen, New Brunswick.	Eastport and Grand Manan, New Brunswick.	8	3	5
Do....	Ss. Cumberland.....	St. John, New Brunswick.	Portland and Boston.....	67	9	25
May 24	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	Calais, Me.....	Eastport.....	10	10	.....
Do....	Ss. State of Maine.....	Boston and Portland..	St. John, New Brunswick..	67	29	30
Do....	Sch. Hiram.....	Calais, Me.....	New York.....	4	.....	.....
Do....	Sch. Wm. Cobb.....	New York.....	Eastport.....	7	.....	.....
May 26	Ss. State of Maine ..	St. John, New Brunswick.	Portland and Boston.....	67	13	25
Do....	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	Calais, Me.....	Eastport.....	10	7	.....
May 27	Ss. Cumberland.....	Boston and Portland..	St. John, New Brunswick..	67	32	35
Do....	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	Calais, Me.....	Eastport.....	10	5	.....
May 28	Ss. Cumberland.....	St. John, New Brunswick.	Portland and Boston.....	67	8	15
Do....	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	Calais, Me.....	Eastport.....	10	20	.....
Do....	Ss. Aurora.....	St. John, New Brunswick.	Eastport and Grand Manan, New Brunswick.	8	5	8
May 29	Ss. State of Maine.....	Boston and Portland..	St. John, New Brunswick..	67	20	24
Do....	Ss. H. F. Eaton.....	Calais, Me.....	Eastport.....	10	6	.....

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. SMALL,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.